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MAY 1975 MINISTERIAL MEETING

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1. ALLIED DELEGATIONS HAVE BEEN ASKING FOR SOME TIME ABOUT SUBJECTS SECRETARY SCHLESINGER PLANS TO COVER IN DPC MINISTERIAL RESTRECITED SESSION MAY 22. AT APRIL 25 DRC (REPORTED REF A), US REP (BGEN BOWMAN) CITED TOPICS LISTED PARA 4 REF B AS "POSSIBLE SUBJECTS SECRETARY MIGHT RAISE." AT MAY 5 DPC (REPORTED REF C), AMBASSADOR BRUCE URGED INFORMAL SHARING OF ADVANCE INFORMATION. TO DATE, ONLY NON-US TOPIC ON WHICH WE HAVE INFORMATION IS COOPERATIVE PROVUREMENT ITEM WHICH UK MOD MASON MAY RAISEAS EUROGROUP CHAIRMAN(REF D).

2. EXPERIENCE HAS SHOWN THAT MINISTERS HOLD MOST USEFUL EXCHANGES

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WHEN THEY HAVE BEEN ABLE TO PREPARE FOR SECRETARY SCHLESINGER'S DISCUSSIONS WITH THEM. FOR THIS THEY AND THEIR STAFFS NEED SOME TIME, AND TIME IS BEGINNING TO RUN OUT AS MAY 22

APPROACHES. ACTION REQUESTED:

EARLY WASHINGTON NOTIFICATION OF SUBJECT OR SUB-
JECTS SECRETARY SCHLESINGER PLANS TO RAISE IN DPC MINISTERIAL E-
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